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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

QUILTING METHOD AND SYSTEM

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which
☒ is attached hereto

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code §119(a)-(d) or §365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or §365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

| Prior Foreign Application Number(s) | Country | Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY) | Priority Not Claimed | Copy Attached? | |
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code §120 of any United States application(s), or §365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States of America, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code §112. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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ASSIGNMENT

ASSIGNMENT made **JILENE A. REPP** of N67 W30918 Golf Road, Hartland, Wisconsin 53029, U.S.A.; and **FRANCIS A. YOGERST** of 1131 Evergreen Street, West Bend 53095, U.S.A. to **JUNE TAILOR, INC.**, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Wisconsin, and located and doing business at 2861 Highway 175, Richfield, Wisconsin 53076, U.S.A.

IN CONSIDERATION of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said **JILENE A. REPP** and **FRANCIS A. YOGERST**, hereby sell, assign and transfer to said **JUNE TAILOR, INC.**, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in:

QUILTING METHOD AND SYSTEM

and the invention therein as set forth in their application for United States Letters Patent therefor, executed on March 7, 2000 and March 7, 2000, respectively and in and to said application and any divisions or continuations thereof, and any Letters Patent obtained for the said invention in the United States and foreign countries, or issuing out of said application or any such division or continuation thereof, and any reissues or extensions of any such Letters Patent.

The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized and requested to issue Letters Patent for said invention to said **JUNE TAILOR, INC.**, as assignee of the entire right, title and interest therein.

And, said **JILENE A. REPP** and **FRANCIS A. YOGERST**, hereby covenant that they have full right to convey the entire right, title and interest in said invention, and that they have not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith.

And, they further covenant that they will, at any time, upon request, execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title in said **JUNE TAILOR, INC.** to said invention or any Letters Patent that may be granted therefor, and that if said **JUNE TAILOR, INC.**, or its assignee, desires to make a substitute, divisional or continuation application for said invention, or to secure a reissue or extension of said Letters Patent, to file a disclaimer relating thereto, or an application for a corresponding patent in any foreign country, that they will, upon request, sign all papers, make all rightful oaths, and do all lawful acts requisite for the said purpose, but at the expense of said **JUNE TAILOR, INC.**

And, they further covenant and acknowledge that the entire beneficial interest in the invention to which the above application relates is irrevocably vested in the assignee including the right to make applications for protection in all countries abroad and to claim priority under the International Convention for such applications and hereby assent to the making of any such applications, with or without priority claim, and of any divisional applications resulting therefrom.

And, they further covenant that they will at all times, communicate to the said **JUNE TAILOR, INC.**, its successors, assigns, or legal representatives, all facts relating to said invention and Letters Patent, or the history thereof, known to them, and testify as to the same in interferences or other litigation when requested so to do.

We hereby authorize the above-mentioned assignee or the attorney of record to insert in this instrument the filing date serial number of our said application:

Serial No.: 09/521,810

Filing Date: March 9, 2000

Executed and delivered this 7 day of March, 2000.

Jilene A. Repp
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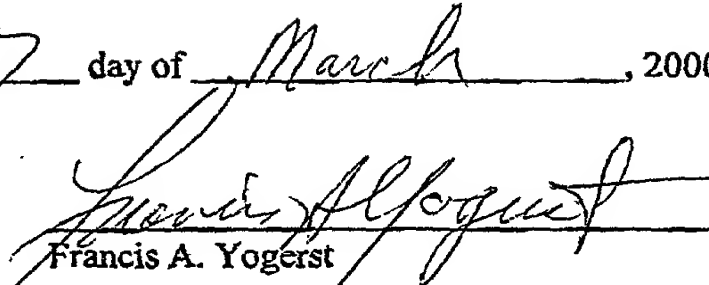
STATE OF WISCONSIN)
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COUNTY OF WASHINGTON)

Personally appeared before me this _____ day of _____, 2000, **JILENE A. REPP**, to me known to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledge that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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Susan R. Munk
Notary Public
My Commission expires 2002

Executed and delivered this 7 day of March, 2000.


Francis A. Yogerst

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Personally appeared before me this _____ day of _____, 2000,
FRANCIS A. YOGERST, to me known to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing
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voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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